Home Ec Class Visits Extension Office For Open House

The Home Economics III class from Appomattox County High School and their teachers, Mrs. Cassandra Turner and Mrs. Betty Jo Smith, attended the Open House for Christmas at the Appomattox County Extension Office on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Shirley Walton, Extension Agent, presented to each of the girls a recipe and gift idea booklet and explained how many of the decorations on display were made.

After enjoying refreshments the students returned to the school to continue their classes for the day.

The Christmas Open House at the Extension Office will be open to the public from 10:00 to 4:30 p.m. through Friday of this week.

Several centuries ago people believed that long sharp teeth betrayed a jealous, treacherous nature, that broad front teeth indicated an orderly mind and teeth with spaces between them were considered a sure sign of a lecherous nature.

To Train and Hire Young Dropouts

RICHMOND - Manpower revenue sharing funds of $272,000 have been allocated to the Lynchburg-Danville area to employ school dropouts in a program that will give them work experience and assistance in getting permanent full-time jobs, according to W. Graham Taylor of the Virginia Employment Commission.

Taylor, who coordinates administration of manpower revenue sharing funds for the VEC, explained that the program--Neighborhood Youth Corps--is open to young people 16 through 21 who have dropped out of school and are unable to find employment.

The funds provide for 80 job slots; half in the Lynchburg area, half in the Danville area. Taylor explained, however, that 160 or more individuals may benefit from the program which began in July and will run for 12 months.

"When one participant drops out or moves up to a permanent job, another person may be moved into that slot," he said.

Ideally an individual would stay in a job slot about six months and then would be ready to accept a permanent job, according to Taylor.

Currently 71 of the slots are filled.

Job sites include schools, hospitals and private corporations. participants work as maintenance, custodial and clerical aides and as nurse and psychiatric aides at hospitals. They earn the minimum wage of $1.60 an hour and receive job counseling and assistance in finding permanent jobs. They must have been out of school at least three months and meet income and other criteria. The object of the program is to provide work experience for young people who are unemployed and can't get jobs because they have no experience.

In Danville, the 40 slots are sub-contracted to the local Community Action Program by the VEC. In Lynchburg, transportation and some recruitment and counseling are sub-contracted to the local Community Action Program and the rest is handled by the local VEC office.

Additional information about participation in the program or about hiring participants may be obtained from managers of the two VEC offices: Richard J. Pretty, 734 Main Street, Danville, and Mrs. Kate W. Hamilton, 1912 Memorial Avenue, Lynchburg.

The VEC was designated to administer the program by the local Ancillary Manpower Planning Board.

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[W]e had heard stories of other [childr]en having growth problems but never quite like we [face]d with our own son. In [...] we learned our son, Eddie [...] then two years old, has a [...] case of hypoglycemia, [low] blood sugar. Further [tests] at the University of [Virgin]ia Hospital, showed he has a pituitary gland [mal]function. Hormone produced by the pituitary, a [...] gland at the base of [the b]rain, controls not only [growth] but the functioning of a [numb]er of other organs and [...].

[We f]ound Eddie is one of an [estima]ted 500,000 children in [Ameri]ca who has a serious [growt]h problem. In the [Americ]an culture where the [avera]ge male height is 5'10", [dwar]fism presents a very real [proble]m. There is the physical [proble]m of being too small to [do] ordinary things like pay [teleph]ones, public toilets, wash [basins] and other taken-for-granted necessities.

[Edd]ie is one of the luckier [...] of these children. In [...] 1971 he began treatment with HGH (Human [Growt]h Hormone) under the [directi]on of Dr. Anne Johanson [...] UVA Clinical Research [Cente]r, Charlottesville, Va. At [the b]eginning of this treatment [he wa]s three years old, 27 and a [half i]nches tall and weighed [...] pounds. After two years [and e]ight months of injections [every] other day, he now stands [...] inches and weighs 25 [pound]s. There are only enough [pituita]ries available to supply [...] children each year, since it requires from 100 to 150 pituitaries to treat just one child for one year. Because HGH can be obtained only from the gland of deceased donors, there is a very limited supply. Eddie receives his supply of HGH at the descretion of the director of the National Pituitary Agency, because of his hypoglycemia, and it must be renewed each year.

According to Dr. Johanson, current speculation among research scientists is that the "ultimate therapeutic tool may be in the release factor hormone for the pituitary, produced by the hypothalamus.

"Many children who have growth problems may not have a defective pituitary, but the gland may not be getting the stimulus it should. In the case of the pituitary, the hypothalamus, part of the brain, would be the defective organ." Its hormone has much small molecules and would be much easier to produce.

Human growth hormone has been synthesized but not perfected, and is extremely difficult and expensive to produce. Now the solution to human growth problems being near has been diminished greatly as federal budget cuts have dramatically curtailed funding for research in this field.

The Pediatric Endocrine Clinic and Labortory at the University of Virginia Hospital has been funded by federal grants which, according to Dr. Johanson, are "no longer available."

The Charlottesville clinic each year treats 300 to 400 children whose problems relate to growth, development of normal adolescence, thyroid disorders and a number of other related problems.

Human Growth Foundation, a national volunteer organization composed primarily of parents of children with growth problems, has undertaken "Project Grow" in an effort to raise, through private contributions at least $100,000 and "hopefully several million dollars to support basic and clinical research on growth.

We are, therefore, appealing to friends like you to help us with "Project Grow" so that children like ours can be helped. This is a matter of great importance to us. We would appreciate your help.

Any contributions can be made to:

The Pediatrics Endocrinology Labortory, University of Virginia Hospital, Charlottesville, Virginia 22901.

Thank You,
Ray and Carolyn Lewis

Men's Day At Promise Land

The annual Men's Day will be held at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday at 3 p.m. The Rev. C. L. Elliott and his Jordanaries will be the special guest. Deacon William Hancock will serve as master of ceremony. Local Men's Clubs have been invited to take a part on the program. The general public is invited to attend. Mr. Cammie Hurt a musican and soloist will appear on the program from Crewe, Va.

An overflow crowd attended the Deacon's program sponsored by the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday evening at 3 p.m. The Reverends J. W. Paige, C. L. Elliott and W. R. Jones delivered the sermons. Music was rendered by the Amherst Spiritual Singers. The pastor of the church served as master of ceremony. The chairman of the deacon board, Deacon Alfred Fleshman, extended words of welcome and thanks to all who came for their wonderful spirit. The program was given for the widows of Mount Shiloh Baptist Church. Other guest ministers were Rev. Mr. Hall, H. W. Pryor and A. B. Jones.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the regular meeting of the local branch of the NAACP next Monday evening at 7:30 at the Mount Shiloh Community Center. At the close of the business sessions drawings will be held for a T.V., radio and electric iron. Members are asked to make a donation of one dollar for a ticket.

The regular meeting of the Appomattox Assembly will be held next Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Intermediate School Agriculture Department. Household products will be on sale at a special discount.

The Annual Hayes-Allen Day was held at the Virginia College on Wed., Dec. 5. A large delegation from Appomattox attended. Rev. Lawing reported a donation of $250 from his churches.

The annual pre-Christmas dinner will be held at the Masonic Hall near Concord on Dec. 16th from 1 to 5 p.m. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend. The program and dinner is sponsored by the Long Mountain Lodge No. 204.

The regular quarterly church meeting of the Mt. Shiloh Baptist Church will be held this Saturday evening at 7 p.m. All officers and members are asked to attend. The annual program of work will be presented. The church auxiliary will make their financial reports for the year.

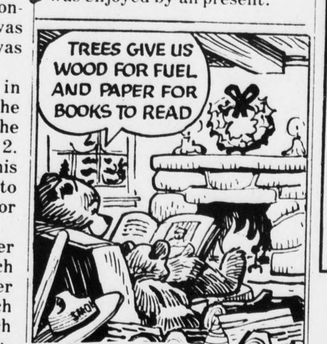
Impressive services were held at the Galilee Baptist Church Sunday. A large crowd of members and friends were present.

St. Luke

The regular preaching services at the St. Luke Baptist Church was well attended by friends and members. Rev. McLaughlin was in charge and gave an inspiring message. Subject, "Wonderful Peace." The Junior Choir was responsible for the music which was well enjoyed. The offering was good.

Rev. Mclaughlin was in charge of the services at the Jordon Baptist Church for the 3:00 program December 2. From there he went to his church in North Carolina to Anniversary services given for him.

The Senior and Junior Usher Board Program was much enjoyed at St. Luke, December 2 - 7:30 p.m. Some church ushers were present to march in the annual march. Rev. David Jordon, Pastor of the Triumph Baptist Church was present and his Triumph Choir and Ushers were present also some members from the Levi Baptist Church were present. Rev. Jordon also is pastor there. Mrs. Louise Canada was M. C. Welcome by Mrs. Catherine Tweedy. Response Mrs. Bobby Scott. Scripture Mrs. Shirley Mitchel. Ushers prayer Mrs. Anna Canada. This was enjoyed by all present.



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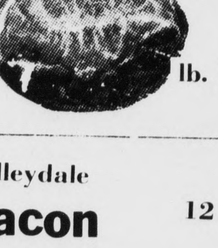
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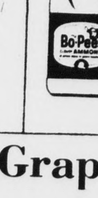
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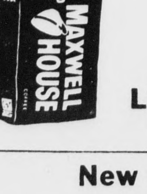
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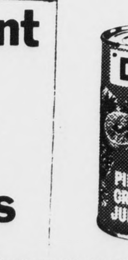
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